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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

523-02 XSpears

Date: December 12, 2001

Commissioner for Patents Box Reissue

THREE LAYERS

Washington, D.C. 20231

STATUS INQUIRY

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Sir:

An Amendment and Response to the March 27, 2001 Office Action in the above-captioned case was filed by certificate of mailing on September 27, 2001, together with a Petition for Extension of time and the fee therefor.

In an interview on October 10, 2001 the Examiner found that the Amendment had been mis-matched to another application and indicated that it would be matched with the right case and entered.

On review of the PAIR system records, it does not appear that the Amendment was entered. A copy of the PAIR report printout is attached at Tab 1. A copy of the September 27, 2001 Amendment is attached at Tab 2.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to review the status of this case and advise whether the September 27, 2001 Amendment has been entered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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